

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, PK

SUBJECT: TRADE ACT OF 1974--GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF  
PREFERENCES (GSP)

REF: (A) STATE 282967

(B) ISLAMABAD 175

1. THE EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED A NOTE DATED JANUARY 14 FROM  
THE PAKISTAN FOREIGN AFFAIRS MINISTRY CONCERNING US TRADE  
ACT AND GSP SCHEME.

2. THE SUBSTANTIVE PART OF THE NOTE READS AS FOLLOWS:  
QUOTE THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN VALUES THE TARIFF BENEFITS  
WHICH WOULD ACCRUE TO IT FROM THIS SCHEME AND REQUESTS THE  
EMBASSY TO CONVEY TO THE PRESIDENT OF U.S.A. ITS DESIRE TO  
BE DESIGNATED AS A BENEFICIARY COUNTRY FOR THE PURPOSES OF  
THE U.S. GSP SCHEME. IN ANTICIPATION OF THE INTRODUCTION  
OF THIS SCHEME, THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN HAS ALREADY  
STARTED PHASING OUT THE TARIFF PREFERENCES GIVEN TO U.K.  
UNDER THE COMMONWEALTH PREFERENCE SCHEME. UNQUOTE.

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3. COMMENT. THE ABOVE NOTE WAS PROMPTED BY THE EMBASSY'S  
APPROACH TO THE MINISTRY LAST WEEK IN ACCORDANCE WITH  
INSTRUCTIONS IN REF A. END COMMENT.  
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